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scription changed hands in San Fran-  
cisco, August 30, 1901. The transfer is  
involved in coin and stock \$12,500.00  
and was paid by a party of business  
men for a specific for Bright's Disease  
and Diabetes, hitherto incurable dis-  
eases. They commenced the serious in-  
vestigation of the specific November 15,  
1900. They interviewed scores of the  
cured and tried it out on their merits by  
putting over three dozen cases on the  
treatment and watching them. They  
also got physicians to name chronic, in-  
curable cases, and administered it with  
the physicians for judges. Up to Au-  
gust 25, 87 per cent of the test cases  
were either well or progressing favora-  
bly. There being but 13 per cent. of  
failures the parties were satisfied and  
closed the transaction. The proceed-  
ings of the investigating committee and  
the clinical reports of the test cases were  
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San Francisco, Calif.

A census of China places her popu-  
lation at 429,447,000.  
The 24th death has occurred at Cor-  
nell university from typhoid fever.  
The Porto Rican legislature has just  
adjourned. Many important measures  
were acted upon.

The damage by the high water in the  
Mississippi valley will amount to many  
millions of dollars.  
England's expenses are about the  
same as those of the United States, but  
her income is much less.

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large exhibit at St. Louis. From there  
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been chosen surveyor general of Oregon.

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down the troublesome ladrones in Rizal  
province.

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Arms and ammunition are being smug-  
gled in from Germany.

Plans of national irrigation in  
Wyoming, Montana, Colorado, Nevada  
and Arizona have been adopted.

The Chicago limited, westbound on  
the Illinois Central, was wrecked at  
Pomeroy and five passengers were in-  
jured.

Two passenger trains on the Nash-  
ville & St. Louis railroad collided head-  
on near Shell Mound, Tenn., and five  
of the crew were injured.

Safelowers cracked the safes of the  
local offices of the Standard Oil com-  
pany at Atlanta, Ga., and secured \$500  
in money and \$2,000 in checks.

The King of Siam has asked the New  
York firm which supplied the foun-  
tain at George Gould's country home at  
Lakewood to make an estimate on the  
cost of erecting a similar fountain five  
times as large in the central courtyard  
of his palace.

The Mississippi flood is still rising  
and doing great damage.

Justice Day, of the supreme court, is  
seriously ill.  
The president will call an extra ses-  
sion of congress in October.

Trainmen on all railroads west of  
Chicago will ask for an advance in  
wages.  
Senators have completed arrange-  
ments to ratify both canal and Cuban  
treaties.

## EVENTS OF THE DAY

**GATHERED FROM ALL PARTS OF THE**  
**TWO HEMISPHERES.**

Comprehensive Review of the Import-  
ant Happenings of the Past Week,  
Presented in Condensed Form, Most  
Likely to Prove Interesting to Our  
Many Readers.

**THE PRESIDENT'S TOUR.**  
Leave Washington April 1  
In Chicago April 2  
In Yellowstone Park April 3 to 4  
In Nebraska, Iowa, Illinois April 5 to 29  
In St. Louis April 30  
In Kansas City May 1  
In Denver May 2  
In San Francisco May 12 to 14  
In Seattle May 15  
In Portland (afternoon) May 21  
In Salem May 22  
Leave Portland (morning) May 22  
In Tacoma May 23  
In Everett May 24  
Leave Seattle May 24  
In Walla Walla May 25  
In Spokane May 26  
In Pull Lake May 29  
In Cheyenne May 31  
Leave Cheyenne on return June 1  
Arrive in Washington June 4

Justice Day continues to improve.  
Thomas Lipton's Shamrock III was  
launched March 17.

Ex-Congressman John W. Candler,  
of Massachusetts, is dead.

The two telegraphers' unions have  
consolidated under one head.

Colonel John A. Baldwin, of the Six-  
teenth United States infantry, is dead.

The senate has voted down several  
amendments to the Panama canal  
treaty.

A revolution against the government  
of Uruguay has broken out in two  
provinces.

Nevada, Arizona and New Mexico  
are deeply interested in the Lewis and  
Clark fair.

Ex-Governor Gear, of Oregon, is in  
Missouri working for an appropriation  
for the Lewis and Clark fair.

A call for bids has been issued at Se-  
attle for 4,000,000 feet of Washington  
lumber for use in the Philippines.

A Negro doctor has been arrested at  
Philadelphia, who is believed to have  
poisoned at least 34 patients and possi-  
bly many more.

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## WILL USE ISTHMIAN CANAL.

Mexico Already Making Plans for Marine  
Merchant System.

Mexico City, March 18.—Great in-  
terest is being taken here in the Pana-  
ma canal. It is now believed that the  
United States will begin work on the  
canal immediately following the ratifica-  
tion of the treaty, and it is estimated  
that it will be completed within five  
years.

It is stated that President Diaz con-  
templates the establishment of a steam-  
ship line running from Vera Cruz and  
Progreso to Havana, Port Limon,  
Colon, Savanilla and La Guayra, the  
steamers to make one round trip per  
month. Communication would be  
thus established by Mexico with Cuba  
and Central America and by Colon with  
Colombia and Ecuador, Bolivia and  
Chile. The project thus will affect  
30,000,000 Latin-American people. It  
is a part of the plan made by the gov-  
ernment of reaching out after the trade  
of South America.  
It is realized that when the canal is  
opened the gulf of Mexico will be the  
Mediterranean of the Western hemi-  
sphere, and Mexico will be in a position  
to reap great advantages from its geo-  
graphical situation.

**SHOT BY ROBBERS.**

One Victim Instantly Killed, and Another  
Seriously Wounded.

Pueblo, Colo., March 18.—A daring  
attempt at robbery and brutal tragedy  
in the most fashionable restaurant cre-  
ated intense excitement early this even-  
ing. The robbers, two in number, and  
both small men, wore black masks.  
They first entered the back door of  
Loeata's fine cafe opposite the opera  
house, advanced half way the length of  
the long room and then went back.  
Presently they re-entered by the  
front door. One went to the cashier's  
desk, the other attempted to rob guests  
at the tables. He held a revolver to  
ward Dr. J. H. Turner, who was eating  
his supper, and told him to throw up  
his hands. The doctor was surprised  
and hesitated, whereupon the robber  
fired full in his face, killing the doctor  
instantly and scattering blood and  
brains all over the corner of the cafe.  
Then the desperado attacked another  
guest, C. B. Bishop, and shot him in  
the left side. Without securing any  
booty the ruffians fled. Bishop was  
taken to a hospital and is in a critical  
condition.  
The robbers in their escape were fired  
upon by a policeman and his bullet  
perforated a plate glass window, but  
thus far there is no clue.

**SLAIN BY STORM.**

Dead in Tuamotu Islands Number 600—  
One-Fifth of Population.

Papeete, March 6, via San Francisco,  
March 18.—The latest intelligence re-  
lative to the hurricane in the Tuamotus,  
or Low archipelago, indicates that the  
fatalities will number 600. The loss  
of property will be \$500,000. The  
hurricane and high water lasted during  
January 14, 15 and 16. At Hikueru  
377 deaths occurred, in most instances  
among the visitors from other islands  
sojourning there during the diving  
season. One hundred and forty-two  
deaths are reported from six other  
small islands. In this report there is  
no record of the unknown dead, and it  
is believed that the total number of  
fatalities in the entire archipelago was  
not less than 600.  
On the islet south of Hikueru 262  
natives perished, being swept into the  
lagoon and again into the great reef,  
lacerated terribly by contact with rocks,  
coral and debris of all sorts. Upon  
some unfortunate ones cocoanut trees  
fell, either maiming or killing them  
outright, or holding them down beneath  
the water until they were drowned.

**BATTLESHIP IDAHO.**

President Selects the Name for One of the  
New Vessels.

Washington, March 18.—The selec-  
tion of the name "Idaho" for one of  
the 13,000 ton battleships was made by  
direction of the president as a com-  
pliment to Senator Heyburn, the Republi-  
can senator from that state. President  
Roosevelt had conferred with Senator  
Heyburn several times, and at once  
formed a very great liking for him. As  
soon as the naval bill was passed and  
the question of naming the battleships  
came up the president insisted that one  
should bear the name of Idaho, and so  
directed Secretary Moody. Senator  
Heyburn preferred no such request as  
this, although he appreciated the cour-  
tesy. When he called on the presi-  
dent yesterday he was told that the  
selection of Idaho was a compliment to  
him, and made for no other purpose.

**New Move of the Goulds.**

Salt Lake, March 18.—Engineers in  
the employ of the Gould lines, it is  
said on good authority today, will  
shortly start from Marysville, the termi-  
nus of the Rio Grande Western in this  
state, to survey a line southwest from  
that point. While no official informa-  
tion is given as to the destination, it is  
stated here that there can be but one  
outcome—a line to Los Angeles. The  
Rio Grande already has a preliminary  
survey from Marysville to Los Angeles.

**Harvard College Examination.**

Seattle, March 17.—Arrangements  
are in progress for holding, this spring,  
in Seattle, an examination of persons  
desiring to enter Harvard college.  
This will be the first time such an ex-  
amination has been held in this state,  
but it is expected hereafter such ex-  
aminations will be held here annually.  
Details as to requirements, time and  
place of this examination, may be  
learned by correspondence with Joseph  
Shippen, A. M., of Seattle.

## NEWS OF OREGON

**ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS**  
**OF THE STATE.**

**New Rule at the Pen—Carnegie Library**  
for Grants Pass—Big New Sawmill at  
Sumpter—Leasing Sheep Range—Try-  
ing to Relocate Columbia County Seat  
—Full Pardon Granted.

William B. Curtis has been re-ap-  
pointed postmaster at Marshfield.

Revision and correction of the senate  
and house journals has been completed.

Grants Pass is to receive \$5,000  
from Andrew Carnegie for the estab-  
lishment of a free reading room and  
library.

Every prisoner in the state peniten-  
tiary has had his hair cropped short  
and cheeks and chins shaved. This is  
to be the rule in the future.

Governor Chamberlain has granted a  
full pardon to A. M. Humphrey, a  
Marion county warehouseman convicted  
of larceny of wheat stored in his ware-  
house.

M. B. Gwinn has leased from George  
T. Parr, of the Eastern Oregon land  
company, a tract of 60,000 acres in the  
Blue mountains, situated in Baker and  
Grant counties. The land is to be used  
as a summer range for a band of about  
40,000 sheep.

A new \$100,000 sawmill, with a ca-  
pacity of 100,000 feet of lumber a day  
is to be erected in Sumpter this season.  
Henry Newell, president of the St. Paul  
& Tacoma mill company, is at the head  
of the corporation that will erect the  
new mill. The company has obtained  
control of 13,000 acres of land, in the  
vicinity of Sumpter, on which it is es-  
timated there is 165,000,000 feet of  
standing timber.

The matter of the special election for  
the relocation of the county seat of  
Columbia county is receiving attention,  
and considerable discussion is being  
provoked. Many of the taxpayers who  
are afraid of incurring extra expense  
favor having it remaining in the pre-  
sent location. A mass meeting has been  
called to convene at Clatskanie next  
Saturday afternoon when the claims of  
that place will be presented.

There is the greatest mining activity  
in Josephine county ever known before.  
This is due to the interest being taken  
by capitalists and enterprising mining  
men in the quartz properties of the dis-  
trict. There always has been for the  
past 50 years a rush of business in the  
placers of that section, but not till this  
season has there been so glittering a  
future in prospect for the quartz min-  
ers of Southern Oregon and Josephine  
county in particular, as at present.

Six Albany boys have been fined for  
stoning a Chinaman.

Sheriff Brown and Deputies Hemple  
and Lachner, of Baker county, are all  
confined at their homes with smallpox.

Game Warden Quimby is in receipt  
of a copy of a report the commis-  
sioners of fish and game of the state of  
Maine have just published, showing  
the amount of money expended by the  
state for the preservation of game, and  
also the amount of money brought in  
that state by outside sportsmen. The  
local game warden thinks it would be  
a good thing if Oregon followed a  
similar plan and appropriated suffi-  
cient money for the hiring of deputy  
wardens to enforce the game laws.

Foreman J. E. Godfrey, of the state  
printing office, says that work is pro-  
gressing rapidly on the session laws of  
1903, and that if nothing unexpected  
happens the laws will be out by April  
1, which is much earlier than usual.

Fifty men are working on the Lewis  
and Clark fair site. Ten of these are  
surveyors who are preparing a contour  
map. Twenty other men are clearing  
away fallen trees, logs, and dead under-  
brush, and the rest are planting trees  
and shrubs and doing nursery work.

**PORTLAND MARKETS.**

Wheat—Walla Walla, 74@75c; blue-  
stem, 86c; valley, 78@80c.

Barley—Feed, \$23.50 per ton; brew-  
ing, \$24.

Flour—Best grade, \$4.10@4.6